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## Rites held for Mrs. Gallagher

Rosemary Gallagher, 52, of Sylmar, Calif., a former resident of Grinnell and Brooklyn, died Dec. 10 at the Mountain View Sanitorium Hospital, Sylmar, Calif.

The Rosary was recited at 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Nevenhoven Funeral Home, Brooklyn, with the Rev. Charles Gannon, pastor of St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Marengo, officiating. Graveside services were conducted at Calvary Cemetery, Brooklyn, with the Very Rev. Patrick McCoy, pastor of St. Patrick's, officiating.

The daughter of Francis and Mary Cramer Schmitz, she was born Oct. 23, 1927, in Grinnell. She was graduated from Grinnell High School.

On Oct. 1, 1954, she was married to Charles B. Gallagher in Grinnell. The couple moved to California in 1959. Mrs. Gallagher was employed by the Veterans Administration Hospital in Sepulvado, Calif. She was a member of St. Ferdinand's Catholic Church of Sylmar and the VFW Auxiliary.

Survivors include her husband, Charles; her mother, Mrs. Mary Schmitz of Grinnell; a son, Charles B. Gallagher Jr.; a daughter, Katherine Gallagher; one brother, Raymond Schmitz of Cedar Rapids; and two sisters, Ruth Ann Dayton and Wilma Schmitz, both of Grinnell.

She was preceded by her father and one son, Patrick.